IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please revise the paragraph beginning on line 26 of page 1 as follows:

In condoms according to the present invention, the active compound is [[may be]] contained or impregnated in or coated on the external surface of the condom. The vasodilator may be applied as a composition which includes a carrier material with which the vasodilator compound is miscible but will release the vasodilator active compound when in contact with body tissue. Where the condom is coated with a lubricant, the vasodilator active compound ~~may be dispersed or dissolved in the lubricant but preferably~~ is disposed on the condom surface in a form or within a composition which is immiscible with the lubricant, whereby the compound is localized ~~localised~~ substantially at the zone of application to the condom surface. The active compound on such condoms, when they are in their rolled-up state for packaging purpose, thus tends to resist translocation from the external surface of adjacent portions of the internal surface, whereby the active compound is retained predominantly on the external surface and within the original zone of application. Preferably, the lubricant is buffered to an acidic pH, for example between 3 to 5, to prevent hydrolysis of the vasodilator active compound.

Please revise the paragraph beginning on line 25 of page 5 as follows:

The active compound or compounds optionally together with skin penetration enhancers may be applied ~~direct to the appropriate region of the condom or~~ as a composition dispersed or dissolved in a suitable carrier media, for example a gel carrier comprising a liquid medium and a thickening agent. According to another

aspect of the invention, therefore, a composition for application to the external surface of a condom after unrolling on an erect penis comprises a vasodilator active compound and a carrier material.